

LOCAL NEWS.

Put down the side walks.

If you need any you'll buy some.

Dr. E. B. Mitchell announces today for Coroner.

The Douglas special at Earhearts on C street.

C. M. Allen paid the Democrat a pleasant visit today.

Earheart carries a fine line of fruits and confectionery on C St.

Wanted—A man to break land near town. Enquire at this office.

Wit is the wine of intellect, but an ill nature may turn it to vinegar.

Go to Silver Moon Restaurant on C street for square meals.

Window shades 15 cents. Anadarko Furniture Co.

Some men are hardly honest enough to pay back borrowed trouble.

It is not near so much trouble to teach a child to talk than to teach it not to.

For sale cheap—Some air slack line for sanitary purpose. J. S. Mayfield Lumber Company's old stand.

Dainty confectionaries and a full line of choice fruits at Earhearts place on C street.

The man who minds his own business always has profitable employment.

Buy bread from Ingram & Hoffman. 2 cents and 4 cents a loaf.

Uncle Sam reminds us of a young married man walking the floor with his new possessions.

Bread is now 2 and 4 cents a loaf at Ingram & Hoffman's.

Any dealer in cosmetics can tell you that there are lots of self made women.

Vienna Bakery—for bread, cakes and pies, candies fruits and ice gold drinks. Cor. 6 & C. S. B. Taylor, proprietor.

The Democrat is the only paper in Caddo county fighting for the election of Hon. Wm. Cross for Congress.

A good quarter section of land in Nebraska. Will trade for town property. See W. W. Price Shields Block.

The scissors grinder would be out of employment if it was not for things getting dull.

J. T. Moore and City Attorney Jake Babler are now in their new office over the National Bank of Anadarko.

Quite a number of traveling men drove over to Chickasha today. The water is down so they can drive over now.

There are several new brick building contracts let and it will be only a short time until our business blocks will be solid brick.

The K. P. Picnic has been postponed on account of high water until the Lodge can take action. The date for the picnic will appear later.

Half sole for 50c and all kinds of shoe repairing accordingly. First class workmanship guaranteed at M. Liebenheim on 5th street between Divers and Texas Avenues.

The little village of Hobart is cut off from the world. We would advise the people of that place to move to Anadarko, where they can live happy, seven days in the week.

We understand J. Y. Callahan of Apache will be a Delegate in the Democratic convention here next Monday, and will help to nominate the next county officers of Caddo County.

The Citizens National Bank of Anadarko closed a deal today for the Hugh Graham lot on the corner of C and 6th street. This is one of the best locations in the city. The bank will begin business in about 30 days.

Verde V. Hardecastle left yesterday for Guthrie.

Bread fight is now on with Ingram & Hoffman selling below competition.

There was a large and enthusiastic crowd out to see the ball game yesterday.

The Craig stock is going, going, going, get a hustle on you if you want some of it.

The base ball suits, gloves, mask and etc cost over \$200. The boys have a splendid outfit.

R. C. Earheart has opened a fine confectionery on C street where they handle everything in the fruit line.

J. E. Harston, Democrat candidate for sheriff of Sickles is in town in interest of his candidacy.

C. A. Hanna a prominent Democrat and citizen of Apache is in town.

The candidates are hustling now, they only have one week to see the dear people.

The greatest bargains that has ever been offered in Anadarko is now going at the John Craig Stand.

Tell your neighbors to subscribe for the Democrat, because it is the newspaper of Anadarko.

Shoes at 25 cts. per pair and boys coats at 10 cts. to 1.00 each at the John Craig Stand.

COAL! COAL!! KOAL!!! We guarantee full weight and no claukers. A trial will convince. Phone 11. James Brown.

Pasture, Pasture—Cheap—150 acres of fine pasture adjoining town, good running water, fine shade trees.

J. E. Hart the groceryman arrived home today. He has been water bound for several days, and was glad to get back.

The following board of directors were elected at a meeting of the stockholders of the Citizens National Bank Saturday night: L. W. Myers, T. E. Cox, L. D. Blankenship, G. W. Milne, B. H. Milner and J. L. Byrne. There will be a meeting tonight to perfect the organization.

Anadarko is growing, business is booming, and the Democrat proposes to be in the front ranks. So today we enlarge the Democrat to a six column paper. We want to thank our many friends for their patronage and help and promise them that our beautiful city shall have a paper that will always be a credit to the town.

Reward—Any one furnishing any information as to the whereabouts of Maud James, who was last seen near R. R. Bridge west of town about 7 o'clock p. m. Sunday evening, will be liberally rewarded. She wore a white bonnet, dark mother hubbard dress, black slippers, blue eyes and dark hair, age 30 years and weighed about 120 pounds. Address the Sneed. Care Democrat Anadarko, O. T.

J. B. Case the hardware dealer who has the largest coffee pot that was ever made, is now doing business on B street, 1st door west of First National Bank. See the coffee pot and get prices on hardware, stoves and tinware. The lowest prices in the city.

Bread is cheap. Ingram & Hoffman sell bread 2 and 4 cents a loaf.

THE COMMONER,

Mr. Bryan's Paper.

The Commoner has attained within six months from date of the first issue a circulation of 100,000 copies, a record probably never equaled in history of American periodical literature. The unparalleled growth of this paper demonstrates that there is room in the newspaper field for a national paper devoted to the discussion of political, economic and social problems. To the columns of The Commoner, Mr. Bryan contributes his best efforts; and his review of political events as they arise from time to time can not fail to interest those who study public questions.

The Commoner's regular subscription price is \$1.00 per year. We have arranged with Mr. Bryan whereby we can furnish his paper and the weekly Democrat together for one year for \$1.50. The regular subscription price of the two papers when subscribed for separately is \$2.00.

ANOTHER FLOOD REPORTED COMING

Story of a Four Foot Rise of the River at Mountain View.

REACH HERE TONIGHT

River Said To Have Raised Eight Inches Last Night—More of the Flood.

It is rumored that the river rose eight inches last night. At all events it is going down very slowly and will stop all traffic from the north part of the county for at least a week or longer. It is impossible for the railroad track to be repaired under a week or ten days and no one can say how long it will take to rebuild the two railroad bridges between here and Fort Cobb which went down under the rush of waters.

Six men who drove from Mountain View, leaving there Saturday noon, reached here yesterday afternoon, stated that just before they left, a four foot rise had reached Mountain View putting the river up higher than the first flood.

They paid a man \$30 to put them across the river and they seemed perfectly honest in their statement. If true the wave will reach here tonight and will put the water completely over the tracks from the stock yards to the bridge. We are naturally averse to believe the reports of floods and yet we had no faith in the reported rise of Friday until the water rose seven feet in thirty minutes. It is impossible to secure telegraphic communication with Mountain View so we must either accept or reject the story and we are inclined to believe it true.

Word came in this morning that in one place up the river a few miles, over twenty head of stock were found dead, piled up against a strong barb wire fence. This number will be swelled into hundreds when it becomes possible to get the news all along the river.

The heavy cables which anchored the wagon bridge were all that saved it from going down.

Old settlers state that it is the highest water ever known in the history of the country. The flood is universal throughout Oklahoma.

Several bridges are gone on the Choctaw among them being the one at Bridgeport. Every bridge but one in Kingfisher county was swept away. Loss of property will run into the hundreds of thousands.

One incident of the flood here deserves special mention: Coffee, Parker and Ed. S. O'Connor were constructing a boat and when they heard that seven people were in the tops of trees in the flooded district, they immediately rushed the work to completion launched the boat.

Mr. Coffee brought the first couple to shore. It was old John Resnor and crippled wife and they were profuse in their thanks to these three brave gentlemen. The river has backed up south of this city and shut off all communication from the south east.

Constable Turnell passed through Binger Monday morning with Frank Osborne. Mr. Osborne is wanted in several places on various charges, one charge is from Binger for obtaining money under false pretense.

A. J. MARRIS, Attorney-at-Law, Real Estate and Collections, Money to Loan. Anadarko, Okla.

LEGAL NOTICES.

Notice
To whom it may concern:
Notice is hereby given that P. J. Schwemire has this day filed his petition with the Clerk of Caddo county, Oklahoma Territory in compliance with law, asking for a license to sell at retail, malt, spirituous and vinous liquors upon lot 8, in block 26, 4th ward of the town of Bridgeport, in the county of Caddo, Oklahoma Territory, for a period of one year and that unless objection or protest against the issuance of said license be filed in said Clerk's office before the 4th day of June, 1922, said application will be granted and said license issued.
Dated this 19th day of May 1922.
P. J. Schwemire, Applicant.
By H. B. Mitchell, Attorney.

Publication Notice.
TERRITORY OF OKLAHOMA, CADDO COUNTY.
In the District Court of said county.
Sarah M. Dickens, Plaintiff, vs. Robert R. Dickens, Defendant.
Said defendant, Robert R. Dickens, will take notice that he has been sued in the above-named court, upon petition of plaintiff, for an absolute decree of divorce and must answer the petition filed therein by said plaintiff, on or before the 21st day of July, A. D. 1922, or said petition will be taken as true and a judgment for said plaintiff in said action, or an absolute decree of divorce and custody of minor child will be rendered accordingly.
E. M. HEDDER, Clerk of District Court.
By W. A. KOONCE, Deputy.
GEORGE S. PEARL, Attorney for Plaintiff—18.

Notice.
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
Notice is hereby given that L. Charles C. Rice has filed my application for a license to sell at wholesale, malt, spirituous and vinous liquors, upon lot 8, in block 26, 4th ward of the town of Bridgeport, in the county of Caddo, Oklahoma Territory, for a period of one year, said application being filed in the county clerk's office as required by law, and unless remonstrance or objection be filed against the issuance of said license, in writing before the 28th day of May, 1922, said petition will be granted and said license issued.
In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this 12th day of May, A. D. 1922.
CHARLES C. RICE, Applicant.

Contest Notice.
Department of the Interior, United States Land Office.
El Reno, Okla., May 23, 1922.
A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by D. F. Birelow, contestant, against Willie H. Martin, entry No. 1018, made August 15, 1901, for N. E. 1/4 of Section 34, Township 11 N., Range 12 W., by Willie H. Martin, contestee, in which it is alleged that said contestant has failed to establish a bona fide residence upon said land within six months from the date of said entry, and said land is not settled upon or improved or cultivated as required by law, and said contestee is hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on September 19, 1922, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in El Reno, Oklahoma.
The said contestant, having in a proper affidavit filed May 23, 1922, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, and it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.
FRANK C. STORIES, Register.

Contest Notice.
Department of the Interior, United States Land Office.
El Reno, Okla., May 23, 1922.
A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by James Ryan of Anadarko, O. T., contestant, against William R. Robb's homestead entry No. 2302 made September 19, 1901, for the east one-half of the north-west quarter, and the S. W. quarter of the N. W. quarter of section 34, Township 7 N., Range 9 W., by William R. Robb, contestee, in which it is alleged that the contestee, William R. Robb, has failed to establish his residence upon above described tract of land, and has also failed to so cultivate and improve the same, and has wholly abandoned said land, said abandonment having been for more than six months next before the filing of the affidavit and still exists, and abandonment was not due to, nor occasioned by, the enlistment or service of the said William R. Robb in the Navy, Military or Marine Corps of the United States in time of war with foreign or domestic. Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on Saturday July 12th, 1922, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in El Reno, Oklahoma.
Thomas H. Reid, Receiver.

Contest Notice.
A sufficient contest notice having been filed in this office by William W. Yoder of Anadarko, O. T., contestant, against the homestead entry of Henry Burkes, No. 354, made on the 10th day of September, 1901, for the S. E. 1/4 Sec. 9, Twp. 6 N., R. 9 W., I. M. That at no time since the filing of said homestead entry, on the 10th day of Sept., 1901, and until the filing of said contest notice, said Henry Burkes has at no time resided upon or cultivated the same, but has wholly abandoned said tract of land for more than six months prior to the date hereof; that said Burkes' absence from said tract of land is not due to his employment in the army or navy of the United States.
Also, that said William W. Yoder is an actual resident in good faith of said tract, and that he is improving the same for the purpose of making it his home for himself and family. The said parties are hereby notified to appear and respond and offer evidence touching said allegations at 10 o'clock a. m. on the 22nd day of July, 1922, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office at El Reno, O. T.
That said contestant, having a proper affidavit filed May 14, 1922, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper posting and publication.
THOMAS H. REID, Receiver.

Contest Notice.
Department of the Interior, United States Land Office.
El Reno, O. T., May 13th, 1922.
A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by John Mulligan of Anadarko, O. T., contestant, against the homestead entry of Charles J. Wisner, No. 822, made on the 18th day of March, 1902, for the S. E. 1/4 Sec. 3, T. 6 N., R. 9 W., I. M., being the transmuted Soldiers' Declaratory Statement No. 180, in which it is alleged that said Charles J. Wisner did not make said homestead entry for the use and benefit of himself and did not file said S. D. S. No. 180 for said tract of land for the purpose of securing for himself and family a home, but that he made such declaratory statement for the purpose of speculation only.
Also, that at no time since the filing of said S. D. S. on the 18th day of September, 1901 made actual settlement on said tract, and that the said Chas. J. Wisner has at no time resided upon or cultivated the same, but has wholly abandoned said tract for more than six months immediately prior to the date hereof; that said Wisner's absence from said tract of land is not due to his employment in the army or navy of the United States.
Also, that said John Mulligan is an actual resident in good faith of said tract, and that he is improving the same for the purpose of making it his home for himself and family. The said parties are hereby notified to appear and respond and offer evidence touching said allegations at ten o'clock a. m. on the 6th day of September, 1922, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office at El Reno, O. T.
That said contestant having in a proper affidavit filed April 11th, 1922, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper posting and publication.
THOMAS H. REID, Receiver.

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